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(New Nonprovisional Applications Under 37 CFR § 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. 2027001US1AP

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Transmitted herewith is the patent application of () application identifier or (X) first named inventor, <u>Dennis P. Pfabe</u>, entitled <u>SADDLE FOR BACKING ASSEMBLIES IN A ROLLING MILL</u>, for a(n):

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1001 750 2001 375 Utility filing fee 375.00	1402	320	2402	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal
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1003 520 2003 260 Plant filing fee	1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding
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Respectfully submitted at Canton, Ohio this 31st day of July, 2003.

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